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Applicant : Simon Jacobs et al. Attorney Docket No.: 500744.02
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ELECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 3.71 AND 3.73(b) AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

Sir:

The undersigned, being Assignee of the entire interest in the above-identified application by virtue of an Assignment filed concurrently herewith, hereby elects, under 37 C.F.R. § 3.71, to prosecute the application to the exclusion of the inventors.

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b), the undersigned duly authorized designee of Assignee certifies that the evidentiary documents have been reviewed, specifically the Assignment to MDSI Mobile Data Solutions, Inc., filed concurrently herewith for recording, a copy of which is attached hereto, and certifies that to the best of my knowledge and belief, title remains in the name of the Assignee.

MDSI Mobile Data Solutions Inc.
ASSIGNEE

DATE

March 30, 2001


M. Greg Beniston
Vice President Legal/Corporate Secretary

Enclosure:

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Simon Jacobs, Derek Krezeski and Guy Druce (hereinafter referred to as **ASSIGNORS**), having post office addresses of 406-2485 Balaclava Street, Vancouver, BC, V6K 4N9, Canada, 7683 Manitoba Street, Vancouver, BC, V5Z 4S9, Canada and 301-8500 General Currie Road, Richmond, BC, V6Y 3B4, Canada, respectively, are the joint inventors of an invention entitled "**ASSIGNING TECHNIQUE FOR A SCHEDULING SYSTEM**," as described and claimed in the specification forming part of an application for United States letters patent executed herewith;

WHEREAS, MDSI Mobile Data Solutions, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as **ASSIGNEE**), a corporation of Canada having a place of business at 10271 Shellbridge Way, Richmond, BC, V6X 2W8, Canada, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, **ASSIGNORS** hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said **ASSIGNEE**, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of **ASSIGNEE** and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by **ASSIGNEE** and its successors and assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by **ASSIGNORS** had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. **ASSIGNORS** hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to **ASSIGNEE**. **ASSIGNORS** agree to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and foreign letters

patent on said invention, for litigation regarding said letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefor.

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April 2 / 01

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DECLARATION

As the below-named inventors, we declare that:

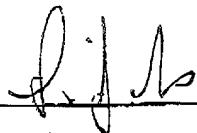
Our residences, post office addresses, and citizenships are as stated below under our names.

We believe we are the original, first, and sole inventors of the invention entitled "ASSIGNING TECHNIQUE FOR A SCHEDULING SYSTEM," which is described and claimed in the foregoing specification and for which a patent is sought.

We have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to herein (if any).

We acknowledge our duty to disclose information of which we are aware which is material to patentability and examination of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(a).

We further declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that the making of willfully false statements and the like is punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and may jeopardize the validity of any patent issuing from this patent application.



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